

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Isao OKAWA, et al.

Appln. No.: UNKNOWN

Group Art Unit: UNKNOWN

Confirmation No.: UNKNOWN

Examiner: UNKNOWN

Filed: February 7, 2001

For: SERVER DEVICE, A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR COMMUNICATION, AND A  
COMPUTER PRODUCT

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

**Please amend the claims as follows:**

Claim 19, line 1, change "13" to -18--.

Claim 20, line 1, change "13" to -18--.


Claim 21, line 1, change "13" to -18--.

Claim 22, line 1, change "13" to -18--.

**REMARKS**

Entry and consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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